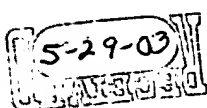


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Dear Sir,

In reviewing Applicants' Request for Continued Examination (RCE) papers (2 pages) filed on May 27, 2003 (a copy of which is attached herewith), the undersigned has discovered that the "Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17)" box has not been checked on the RCE Transmittal form. However, on the accompanying Fee Transmittal form, Applicants have indicated that, "The Commissioner is authorized to:... Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application", in the box that is labeled, "Method of Payment (check all that apply)."

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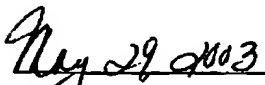
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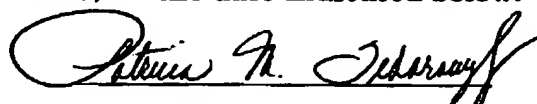
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